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SUBJECT: Example of continuing follow-up
action to exploit and consolidate
over-throw of Arbenz regime in
Guatemala. -- throughout Latin America.

I believe you will find interesting and encouraging the attached illustration of our continuing program of follow-up action -- a subject which you have questioned me about from time to time (see the sidelined portions of pages 5 and 6 of the Embassy Montevideo WEEKA, attached). I think that the [] has brought off a fine "coup" and that the commendations which [] proposes to send are well deserved. You will note that it is intended to exploit these indigenous materials in other countries within the Hemisphere. I have particularly requested that the editorials be reproduced or replayed in some way in Mexico, Brazil and Chile.

(sgd) FGW.

F. G. W.

P. S. I think this fine and fragile egg can best be coddled along by our own devices, and that we should do this ourselves and not call on VOA, etc., to get in and beat the thing around.

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